

BEFORE

THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF

SOUTH CAROLINA

DOCKET NO. 2004-316-C - ORDER NO. 2005-565

OCTOBER 11, 2005

IN RE: Petition of BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc.	) ORDER GRANTING
to Establish Generic Docket to Consider	) MOTION TO
Amendments to Interconnection Agreements	) SUBSTITUTE
Resulting from Changes of Law.	) COUNSEL

This matter comes before the Public Service Commission of South Carolina (the Commission) on Motion to Substitute Counsel in the present proceeding. On November 3, 2004, BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. (BellSouth) petitioned the Commission for the establishment of a generic proceeding to address amendments to interconnection agreements resulting from changes of law. The Commission granted BellSouth's petition and by Order No. 2004-591, the Commission instituted the present docket. On December 14, 2004, the Southeastern Competitive Carriers Association (SECCA) filed a Petition to Intervene and consequently became a formal party of record to the present proceeding.

SECCA filed a Motion on September 26, 2005, to Substitute Counsel for its representation in this proceeding. By Motion, SECCA requests that Faye A. Flowers, Esquire, of Parker, Poe, Adams & Bernstein, LLP be relieved as counsel in this action and that Bonnie D. Shealy, Esquire, of Robinson, McFadden & Moore, P.C. be substituted as the attorney of record for SECCA. At its regularly scheduled Commission meeting on October 4, 2005, this matter was brought before the Commission for decision.

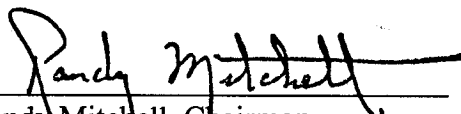
Upon consideration of SECCA's Motion to Substitute Counsel, the Commission determines that the Motion should be granted. Both Ms. Flowers and Ms. Shealy have consented to the substitution, and we find that no party will be prejudiced by such substitution.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED THAT:


1. The Motion of the Southeastern Competitive Carriers Association to Substitute Counsel is granted, and Bonnie D. Shealy, Esquire, of Robinson, McFadden & Moore, P.C. is the attorney of record for the Southeastern Competitive Carriers Association in the instant proceeding.

2. This Order shall remain in full force and effect until further order of the Commission.

BY ORDER OF THE COMMISSION:

  
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Randy Mitchell, Chairman

ATTEST:

  
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G. O'Neal Hamilton, Vice Chairman

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